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| FORM PTO-1390<br>(REV 5-93)  |  | U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE<br>PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE |  | ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.<br>1200726                                       |  |
| TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES<br>DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)<br>CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371   |  |  |  | DATE: February 4, 2005   |  |
|  |  |  |  | U.S. APPLN. NO.<br>(IF KNOWN, SEE 37 C.F.R. 1.5)<br><b>10/523584</b> |  |
| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.<br>PCT/EP2003/050363   |  | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE<br>August 6, 2003                |  | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED<br>August 9, 2002                              |  |
| TITLE OF INVENTION: IMPROVED CONTROL DEVICE FOR A MODULE FORMING A LOCK MECHANISM  |  |  |  |  |  |
| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Patrick DUPONT and Jerry GODARD   |  |  |  |  |  |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li>2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li>3. <input type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures [35 U.S.C. 371(f)]. The submission must include items 5, 6, 9 and 21 indicated below.</li> <li>4. <input type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31).</li> <li>5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been transmitted by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</li> </ol> </li> <li>6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)].           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 USC 154(d)(4).</li> </ol> </li> <li>7. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)]           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been transmitted by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.</li> <li>d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</li> </ol> </li> <li>8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English-language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)].</li> <li>9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)].</li> <li>10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English-language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)].</li> <li>11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98.</li> <li>12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</li> <li>13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment.<br/> <input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.</li> <li>14. <input type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.</li> <li>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</li> <li>16. <input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.</li> <li>17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer readable form of the sequence listing.</li> <li>18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published International application.</li> <li>19. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application.</li> <li>20. <input type="checkbox"/> Other.</li> </ol> |  |  |  |  |  |

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| U.S. APPLN. NO. (IF KNOWN,<br>SEE 37 C.F.R. 1.53 <b>10/523584</b>  |              | INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION<br>NO. PCT/EP2003/050363                            |            | ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 1200.726<br>DATE: February 4, 2005  |            |
| The following fees are submitted:<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a) Basic national fee..... \$ 300.00<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> b) Examination fee..... \$ 200.00<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> c) Search fee..... \$ 500.00<br><br>TOTAL FO ABOVE CALUCATIONS = \$1000.00   |              |   |            | \$ 300.00<br>\$ 200.00<br>\$ 500.00<br>\$ 1000.00   |            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets. The fee is \$250.00 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.   |              |   |            |   |            |
| Total Sheets   | Extra Sheets | Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (round up to a whole number) | Rate       |   |            |
| 15 - 100 =   | 0/50 =       | 0   | X \$250    | \$ 0  |            |
| Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 C.F.R. 1.492(e)].   |              |   |            | \$ 0  |            |
| Claims   | Number Filed | Number Extra  | Rate       |   |            |
| Total Claims   | 13 - 20 =    | 0   | X \$ 50.00 | \$ 0  |            |
| Independent Claims   | 1 - 3 =      | 0   | X \$200.00 | \$ 0  |            |
| Multiple dependent claim(s) (if applicable)  |              |   | + \$360.00 | \$ 0  |            |
| <b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>   |              |   |            | \$ 1000.00  |            |
| Reduction by one-half for filing by small entity, if applicable. -<br>Verified Small Entity statement must also be filed. (Note 37 C.F.R. 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).-   |              |   |            | \$ 0  |            |
| <b>SUBTOTAL =</b>  |              |   |            | \$ 1000.00  |            |
| Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later the <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 C.F.R. 1.492(f)].   |              |   |            | \$ 0  |            |
| <b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b>  |              |   |            | \$ 1000.00  |            |
| Fee for recording the enclosed assignment [37 C.F.R. 1.21(h)]. The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 C.F.R. 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property   |              |   |            | \$ 40.00  |            |
| <b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =</b>   |              |   |            | \$ 1040.00  |            |
|  |              |   |            | Charged   | \$ 1040.00 |
| a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$1040.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.<br>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-0548 in the amount of \$ to cover the above fee.<br>A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.<br>c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0548. |              |   |            |   |            |
| NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 C.F.R. 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive [37 C.F.R. 1.137(a) or (b)] must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.  |              |   |            |   |            |
| SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:<br>Liniak, Berenato & White<br>6550 Rock Spring Drive, Suite 240<br>Bethesda, Maryland 20817<br>Tel: (301) 896-0600 Fax: (301) 896-0607  |              |   |            |   |            |
|  |              |   |            | <br>Matthew Johnston<br>Reg. No. 41,096 |            |